

NOTICE OF TIME OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR INCORPORATION OF CITY OF TORRANCE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that the following petition will be presented to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, at the regular meeting of said board to be held on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day or as soon thereafter as said petitioners can be heard, in the office of said Board, in the Hall of Records of said County of Los Angeles, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Petition for Incorporation of City of Torrance

To the Honorable The Board of Supervisors, of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

We the undersigned petitioners represent: that we are qualified electors of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and that we each of us reside within the limits of the hereinafter described proposed municipal corporation.

That the following is a particular description of the proposed territory to be included in the proposed municipal corporation, to-wit:

All that territory in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, within the following described boundary lines:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly boundary line of the City of Los Angeles (Shoestring Addition) with a line parallel to and distant one thousand feet north-

erly, measured at right angles, from the southerly line of that certain 639.07 acre parcel of land allotted to Guadalupe Marcelina Dominguez as shown on map filed in Case No. 3284 of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, thence southerly along the westerly boundary line of said City of Los Angeles to the easterly prolongation of the southerly line of Lot 1, Tract No. 530 as shown on map recorded in Map Book 15, page 13, Records of Los Angeles County; thence westerly in a direct line to the southeasterly corner of Lot 30, Tract No. 588, as shown on map recorded in Map Book 15, page 128, records of said county; thence westerly in a direct line to the southwesterly corner of Lot 16 of said Tract No. 588; thence southerly in a direct line to the southeasterly corner of Lot 7 of Tract No. 2200, Sheet No. 1, as shown on map recorded in Map Book 26, page 19, records of said county; thence northwesterly in a direct line to the southwesterly corner of Lot 90 of Tract No. 2200, Sheet No. 2, as shown on map recorded in Map Book 26, page 20, records of said county; thence northerly in a direct line to the southeasterly corner of Lot 100 said Tract No. 2200, Sheet No. 2; thence westerly in a direct line to the southwesterly corner of said Lot 100; thence northerly in a straight line through the northwesterly corner of Lot 101 of said last mentioned tract to the southerly line of Block 315 of Tract No. 1952 as shown on map recorded in Map Book 23, page 83, records of said county; thence westerly in a direct line to the southwesterly corner of said Block 315; thence northerly in a direct line to the northwesterly corner of Lot 54 of Tract No. 2675 as shown on map recorded in Map Book 27, page 33, records of said county; thence easterly along the northerly line of said Lot 54 to the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 20 feet easterly, measured at right angles, from the westerly line of Lot 56 of said Tract No. 2675; thence northerly along said last mentioned parallel line to the northerly line of said Lot 56; thence northerly and northwesterly along the easterly and northeasterly line of Madrona Avenue (sixty feet wide) as shown on map filed in Case No. B47845 of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles to the westerly line of the 2279.35 acre parcel of land allotted to Ana Josefa Dominguez de Guyer as shown on map filed in aforementioned Superior Court Case No. 3284; thence northerly in a direct line to the intersection of the westerly line of the 639.07 acre parcel of land allotted to Guadalupe Marcelina Dominguez as shown on said last mentioned map, with a line parallel to and distant one thousand feet northerly, measured at right angles, from the southerly line of said 639.07 acre parcel of land allotted to Guadalupe Marcelina Dominguez; thence easterly along said last mentioned parallel line to the point of beginning.

That the number of inhabitants in said territory is not less than five hundred (500) persons and not more than three thousand (3000) but that the inhabitants in the above described territory number about eighteen hundred (1800) persons.

That said territory or any portion thereof is not included within the limits of any municipal corporation existing at the present time.

The undersigned petitioners believe that the interests of the inhabitants of, and of the owners of property within said territory will be promoted by the incorporation of said territory, and it is the desire of the petitioners herein that said territory within the above described boundaries be incorporated as a municipal corporation of the sixth class under the name of City of Torrance.

Wherefore, Petitioners pray that said territory above described may be incorporated under provisions of that certain act of the legislature of the State of California entitled: "An act to Provide for the Organization, Incorporation, and Government of Municipal Corporations." Statutes of 1882, page 93, and all acts amendatory thereto, now also designated as Act 2348 of the General Laws of the State of California, as a municipal corporation of the sixth class, to be known under and by the name of City of Torrance.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1921.

Name Residence
Frank Sammons, Torrance.
Harry E. Paige, 21081 No. Arlington St., Torrance.

Fay L. Parks, 21728 Andreo, Torrance.
Mrs. Nettie Steinhilber, 21740 Gramercy St., Torrance.
Alfred Gourdier, 21807 Gramercy Ave., Torrance.
Chas. L. Jones, Murry Block.
Chester A. Paxman, 21280 El Prado Ave.
William C. Dolley, 22004 Gramercy.
Harry Dolley, 22004 Gramercy.
Frank Paour, Jr., 22121 Arlington Ave.
Albert H. Bartlett, 22015 Gramercy Ave.
Myrtle Isenhour, Torrance, Cal.
George W. Neill, 21551 Guadalupe street.
Robert L. Deninger, Torrance, Calif.
Chas. H. Mueller, Torrance.
Vern L. Zuver, Portola Ave.
Fred Palmer
Frederick Hickory, El Prado St.
David C. Turner, 1921 Andreo St.
Simon J. Rappaport, Torrance, Cal.
Dock White, Torrance, Cal.
Dean G. McDonald, Narbonne Ave., Lomita.
Jacob Isenstein, 21920 Gramercy Ave.
Phoebe J. Tolson, 1913 Arlington
Alice A. Anderson, 21907 Gramercy.
William T. Klussman, 2015 Carson street.
Harry W. Roberts, 2023 Gramercy.
Hughena Roberts.
Elexenna Mae Flood, Park Terrace.
Roy H. Flood.
Armon W. Malone, 21747 Andreo St.
Edwin Voris, 21723 Andreo St.
Louis J. Smith, 1754 Gramercy St.
Dorse E. Aiken, D Cota St.
Richard C. Kite, 2019 Gramercy
Joseph F. Stone, 21815 Gramercy
George A. Proctor, 21740 Gramercy St.
Clintor W. Northrup, 21727 Andreo St.
Abraham L. Flood, 2211 Gramercy Ave.
Emmet G. Stranahan, 2173 Gramercy.
Edmond Mueller, Torrance, Cal.
Clair Vincent Dowlla, Torrance Calif.
Benjamin Franklin Hannebrink 1819 Andreo St.
John E. McMaister, 916 Cota Ave.
George D. Watson, 21915 Andreo St.
Amel Anderson, 22122 Gram. St.
Delbert Cox, Kern Court.
William R. Lee, El Prado Ave.
Mary Crossland, Carson Ave.
Hurum E. Reeve, Guadalupe Av
Isaac G. Anderson, 21924 Gramercy St.
Mrs. Loma Turner, 21923 Andreo St.
Mrs. Mary A. Newby, 21919 Andreo Ave.
Henry J. Barnett, 21911 Andreo Ave.
Mrs. Estelle R. Greaves, 21905 Andreo Ave.
Mrs. Martin G. Van Voorhis 21903 Andreo Ave.
Mrs. Phoebe J. Milburn, 21930 Andreo Ave.
Mrs. Pearl Ainsworth, 2012 Andreo St.
Mrs. Harriett R. stoon, 2027 Andreo St.
Mrs. Mary E. Dolley, 22004 Gramercy.
Mrs. Mary Gourdier, 21807 Gramercy.
Mrs. Mary J. Babcock, 22012 Gramercy.
John Stephen Babcock, 22012 Gramercy.
Mrs. Ruth Harestad, Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Ruth E. Rogers, N. Arlington Ave.
Mrs. Susie E. Black, N. Arlington Ave.
Herbert G. Black, 21020 Arlington Ave.
Mrs. Carrie Morford, 22121 Gramercy.
Edgar B. Morford, 22121 Gramercy.
Mrs. Mildred B. Kite, 22019 Gramercy.
Mrs. Jessie D. Bartlett, 22015 Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Marguerite L. Wright, 22007 Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Hellen Von Hagen, 22003 Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Edna M. Stone, 21815 Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Helena J. Miller, 21820 Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Edna Areee, 21747 Gramercy.
Mrs. Mary S. Perkins, 21812 Gramercy Ave.
Mrs. Rosearnold Winters, 21737 Arlington Ave.
James W. Post, El Prado Ave.
State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss.
Alfred Gourdier and Fay L. Parks, and Mrs. Nettie Steinhilber being first duly sworn each for himself deposes and says that:

He is a qualified elector of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, resident in that portion of said county described in the hereunto annexed petition for incorporation of said portion of Los Angeles County as a municipal corporation under the name of City of Torrance.

That each of the persons whose names are subscribed to the annexed petition for incorporation of City of Torrance is a qualified elector of the County of Los Angeles, State of California and a resident within the limits of the said proposed incorporation as set forth in said petition hereunto attached.

That the statements contained in said petition are true and that each signature appended to said petition and notice is a genuine signature and notice as a genuine signature and notice of the person whose name purports to be subscribed thereto and that said petition is signed by more than fifty qualified electors of the said county, residents within the limits of said proposed incorporation.

Dated this 17th day of February, 1921.

ALFRED GOURDIER.
FAY L. PARKS.
MRS. NETTIE STEINHILBER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of February, 1921.

(SEAL) A. G. PRUITT.
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

TORRANCE NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Geist of Torrance Hotel have moved to Los Angeles.

Mrs. A. Butler of N. Arlington street is very ill of pneumonia and asthma.

Mr. John N. Wilson of Paige's Grocery paid a visit to his home in Redlands, Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Deninger was a guest at the home of J. S. Torrance in Pasadena last week.

Mr. Wm. Everett has been suffering severely from a painful affliction of the ear.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graves spent Sunday visiting his father and mother in Redondo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Webb, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and family, have gone to Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rectamaugh of Spurlin Court, left for Stockton last week where they will locate permanently.

A. J. Gamble of Long Beach, who is one of the brick yard promoters, expects to move with his family to Torrance soon.

H. E. Paige and wife, Kenneth, and Rosalind with Dorothy Howe as their guest, enjoyed the Orange Show at Urbita Park last week.

Mrs. A. Butler of N. Arlington, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

John Salm of the Salm Manufacturing Company has his plant under operation again, with a large force employed.

Fred Lincoln had a narrow escape Saturday from what might have proved a serious accident, as, while he was changing a tire, the tire-iron in some way slipped from his grasp, flew, and struck him just above the eye; the injury, while exceedingly painful for a time, is not expected to result in any ill effects.

H. E. Reeve and D. G. McDonald of the Torrance Hardware Co., attended the regular monthly meeting of the Southern California Retail Hardware Association at Los Angeles, Wednesday evening of last week. Mr. Reeve was accompanied by him mother, Mrs. Lucy M. Reeve. The ladies present at the meeting were entertained at a theatre party at Egan's Theatre.

A pleasant social feature including tempting refreshments was given recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Von Hagan. Games of 500 were played. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fess, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wise, Mr. and Mrs. H. McManus, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. W. Swindell, Mrs. Geo. Watson and Mr. Barnett won the first prizes and Mrs. Swindell and Mr. Fess secured the consolation prizes.

A pleasing entertainment of guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Barnett was given Tuesday of last week, those present being Mr. and Mrs. H. McManus, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swindell, Mr. and Mrs. Von Hagen, Mr. and Mrs. James Wise and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watson. In addition to dainty refreshments games of 500 were played as a part of the evening's entertainment. The winners of the first prize were Mrs. McManus and Mr. Von Hagan, the consolation going to Mrs. James Wise and to George Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stein, in company with their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Earl, spent the week-end sight-seeing. Leaving here Saturday afternoon they motored as far as Santa Ana where they spent the night. Proceeding on their journey the next morning they stopped for some time at Riverside. Their next stop was to view the famous Mission at San Capistrano and then on to San Diego, where they spent the remainder of their trip. Arriving back in Torrance Monday. They report a pleasant trip.

G. W. NIX and PERRY G. BRINEY, 324 Black Bldg., Los Angeles, Attorneys for petitioners.
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HEAR RUDEEN!

The Peer of All Whistlers and Song Bird Mimics; Also That Feature Motion Picture "The Son of Democracy"

Everyone should patronize the entertainment to be given by the Torrance Parent-Teacher Association Friday evening, March 4, at 8:00 o'clock.

Some of the best talent available has been secured, among them being "Rudeen," the peer of all whistlers and song bird mimics. There will be a fine motion picture film, "The Son of Democracy," which is to be shown for the benefit of the public schools.

What Others Think of This Entertainment

"The Lincoln Motion Picture and entertainment in charge of Mr. Rudeen, were exhibited at our Lincoln High School. I am advised by the principal of that school that this exhibition is not only an entertainment but has educational value as well."—(Mrs.) Susan M. Dorsey, Supt. of Los Angeles Schools.

"I have long been a student of Lincoln. It was a real pleasure to see your interpretation of his character. It was both interesting and inspiring."—Josephus Daniels, Secy. of the Navy.

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For an up-to-date discussion of some Old Testament characters you are invited to attend the Sunday evening services, which commence at 7:30 o'clock.

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This will conclude the series of sermons on the Holy Spirit, and will be delivered at the morning hour, 11:00 o'clock. A hearty welcome awaits you.

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CHOIR

Meets every Thursday evening at the Church, time 7:00. It is in charge of a competent director who comes from Los Angeles. Easter music is in preparation. Any Christian who would like to join the choir and benefit from the instruction of Mr. Rolofs should see Mrs. R. C. Kite, the leader.

"Whoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess before My Father which is in heaven."—Matt. 10:32.

Mr. Hugh Lincoln of Palo Alto is visiting his brother Fred, of Arlington Ave., and accompanied the latter and his family on a drive to Anaheim, Sunday.

Ten Prominent Citizens Out For Consideration of Voters At Polls

The following were nominated at a public mass meeting as candidates for trustees: Vote for five.

Geo. A. Proctor.
R. B. Smith.
J. F. Stone.
W. H. Gilbert.
J. M. Fitzhugh.
A. H. Bartlett.
H. S. McManus.
C. W. Northrup.
W. T. Klussman.
C. H. Long.

R. J. Deninger—Clerk.
Harry Dolley—Treasurer.

TORRANCE LODGE NO. 447 F. and A. M.

Friday, March 4, 1921, Stated Meeting.



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